

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 304

By Lamberth

A RESOLUTION to confirm the appointment of Tom Smith to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-501, established an advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-501, provides that the governor shall appoint five (5) members to each advisory board; and

WHEREAS, Governor Bill Lee has appointed Tom Smith to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville for a term that shall expire on June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Tom Smith, a 1980 graduate of the Haslam College of Business at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, is chairman of Smith/Halleman partners, a Nashville-based real estate firm; and

WHEREAS, he previously served as chairman of Mission Property Company, a boutique real estate development and brokerage firm in Nashville, and sat on the board of directors of Highwoods Properties, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-9-501, provides that each member appointed by the governor to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville shall be confirmed by the General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby confirm the appointment of Tom Smith to the advisory board for the University of Tennessee, Knoxville for a term that expires on June 30, 2026.